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4.	Bihar	2637
5.	Goa	23
6.	Gujarat	1028
7.	Haryana	414
8.	Himachal Pradesh	162
9.	Jammu & Kashmir	196
10.	Karnataka	1072
11.	Kerala	721
12.	Madhya Pradesh	2020
13.	Maharashtra	1756
14.	Manipur	57
15.	Meghalaya	77
16.	Mizoram	20
17.	Nagaland	54
18.	Orissa	1062
19.	Punjab	476
20.	Rajasthan	1247
21.	Sikkim	14
22.	Tamil Nadu	1237
23.	Tripura	96
24.	Uttar Pradesh	3723
25.	West Bengal	1726
26.	A & N Islands	7
27.	Chandigarh	2
28.	D & N Haveli	7
29.	Daman & Diu	2
30.	Delhi	32
31.	Lakshadweep	1
32.	Pondicherry	10
Total:		22349

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**CGHS Dispensaries in Kerala**

129. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Central Government hospitals and CGHS dispensaries functioning at presents in Kerala;

(b) whether the Government propose to set up any new CGHS Dispensary or Central Government hospital in the State;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether any representation from Kerala Government has also been received by the Union Government for setting up of CGHS Dispensaries at Calicut and Ernakulam; and

(e) if so, the details thereof and the response of the Union Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) Three CGHS dispensaries are currently functioning in Thiruvananthapuram, the State Capital.

(b) and (c) There is no such proposal for the present.

(d) and (e) As per information available, no representation from the State Government of Kerala has been received in this regard.

**Use of Tobacco**

130. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that the use of tobacco is going down in developed countries by 1.1 percent whereas in India it is increasing at the rate of 2.1 percent every year;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether according to recent estimates, about 5500 people are added to tobacco user in the country every day;

(d) if so, whether the Government propose to review the impact of its anti-tobacco campaign; and

(e) if so, the time by which it is likely to be reviewed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) and (b) During the last decade the tobacco use in developed countries has decreased as a result of the various tobacco control measures undertaken in these countries. No reliable data is available in this regard for India. However, indirect estimation suggests that there has been an increase in the tobacco use in India during the last 8 to 10 years.

(c) ICMR has made surveys in Goa and Bangalore for studying the behaviour of youths getting initiated to tobacco habit. Estimates based on these studies indicate that new persons initiated to tobacco use in the country every day would vary between 7,300 and 17,000.

(d) and (e) The review of programmes is an ongoing process. Government has intensified its efforts to discourage people from tobacco consumption.